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FROM:

EA - Michael Armacost MA

SUBJECT:

Interagency Group Meeting on Japan

An Interagency Group (IG) meeting on Japan will be convened on February 9 at 2:30 p.m. in the Department of State East Asian Conference Room 6210. Please confirm the names of your representatives to William Clark, Jr., Director of Japanese Affairs, telephone 632-3156.

The agenda will be as follows:

General review of U.S. policy toward Japan with particular focus on those issues which must be addressed prior to the visit of Prime Minister Suzuki this spring.

State Dept. review completed

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- 1. Political coordination on multilateral issues such as Afghanistan, Poland, etc.
- 2. Security Issues: Roles and Missions
 - a. Military Expenditures
 - b. Host Nation Support
 - c. Economic Assistance
 - d. Diplomatic Initiatives
- 3. Procedural Issues
 - a. Consultation Procedures
 - b. Coordination of Interaction with Japanese Officials
- .. 4. Economic Friction Points:
 - a. Japanese Automobile exports to the United States
 - b. Nuclear Policy: specifically as it relates to Japanese reprocessing facilities
 - c. Agricultural Trade
 - (1) Access to the Japanese Market
 - (2) Japanese Rice Sales

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